## **United States District Court Northern District of New York**

Roy W. Benjamin,	)	Case No. 5:24-cv-00137
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	Glenn T. Suddaby
V.	)	United States District Court Judge
	)	
Martin O'Malley,	)	Daniel J. Stewart
Commissioner of the Social	)	United States Magistrate Judge
Security Administration,	)	
Defendant.	)	Motion – Document Filed Electronically

## CONSENTED-TO MOTION FOR REVERSAL AND REMAND PURSUANT TO SENTENCE FOUR OF 42 U.S.C. § 405(g)

The Defendant, Martin O'Malley, Commissioner of the Social Security Administration ("Commissioner"), has determined that remand of the above-captioned matter is appropriate.

Accordingly, the Commissioner respectfully moves this Court, pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), to enter a judgment reversing his decision with remand of the cause for further administrative proceedings. *See Melkonyan v. Sullivan*, 501 U.S. 89 (1991). Under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), this Court has the power to enter, upon the pleadings and transcript of the record, "a judgment affirming, modifying, or reversing the decision of the Commissioner of Social Security, with or without remanding the cause for a rehearing." *Id.* at 98.

Upon remand by this Court, the Appeals Council will remand this matter to an Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ"). Upon remand, the ALJ shall be instructed to offer Plaintiff the opportunity for a new hearing, and issue a new decision.

For these reasons, the Commissioner respectfully requests that this Court enter an Order and Final Judgment reversing the Commissioner's decision and remanding the case for further administrative proceedings.

Plaintiff's counsel has authorized the undersigned to represent that Plaintiff consents to this motion.

DATED: October 2, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

Martin O'Malley,

By His Attorneys

Carla B. Freedman, United States Attorney

Glenn T. Suddaby U.S. District Judge

IT IS SO ORDERED:

Dated: 10/11/2024

Syracuse, NY

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